

**DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES**

744 P Street, Sacramento, California 95814



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ALL COUNTY LETTER NO. 03-13

REASON FOR THIS TRANSMITTAL

- ☐ State Law Change
- ☐ Federal Law or Regulation Change
- ☐ Court Order
- ☐ Clarification Requested by One or More Counties
- ☒ Initiated by CDSS

TO: ALL COUNTY WELFARE DIRECTORS  
ALL COUNTY FOOD STAMP COORDINATORS

SUBJECT: FOOD STAMP EMPLOYMENT AND TRAINING (FSET)  
PROGRAM QUARTERLY ABAWDs STATISTICAL AND  
EXPENDITURE REPORT (STAT 46)

REFERENCE: ALL COUNTY LETTER (ACL) 02-51

The purpose of this letter is to revise instructions issued in ACL 02-51 for reporting 100% federal Food Stamp Employment and Training expenditure data on the Food Stamp Employment and Training (FSET) Program Quarterly ABAWDs Statistical and Expenditure Report (STAT 46). An alternate source for 100% federal FSET expenditures has been identified within the California Department of Social Services (CDSS). Use of this alternate source allows counties to stop reporting expenditure data on the STAT 46.

Recently, the United States Department of Agriculture, Food and Nutrition Service (FNS), ACL 02-51 directed counties to report actual 100% federal FSET expenditures for the FSET program beginning with the October through December 2002 quarter. We have determined that expenditures on the County Expense Claim (CEC) can be used to comply with FNS' revised instructions. As a result, counties should leave column 6, lines 1, 2, and 3 blank on future STAT 46 submissions, beginning with the January through March 2003 quarter; the Data Systems and Survey Design Bureau (DSSDB) will obtain the necessary dollar amounts from the CECs.

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Thank you for continuing to provide the STAT 46 on the 15<sup>th</sup> working day after each report quarter. If you have questions regarding completion of these forms, please contact Juliet Mende of the DSSDB at (916) 651-8269.

Sincerely,

***Original Document Signed By  
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